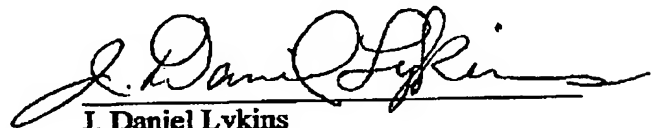


Remarks

In view of the above amendments to claims 1, 14, 16 and 18 wherein the term "comprising" has been replaced with "consisting of"; and the telephone conferences with the Examiner on June 1 and June 3, 2005, it is believed that this application is now in order for allowance, and an early indication thereof is earnestly solicited.

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